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DOLNJA LENDAVA OPERATES VARIOUS PETROLEUM FIELDS;  
ESTIMATES KOLJANI BROWN COAL DEPOSITS TO BE LARGE

PETISOVCI FIELD MOST PRODUCTIVE -- Ljubljana, Slovenski Porocevalec, 28 Nov 50

The petroleum enterprise in Dolnja Lendava operates various petroleum fields, such as Petisovci, Dolina, Selnica, and Kog. The Petisovci petroleum field is the most productive field of the enterprise. Its 1946 production index was 118; in 1947 it was 162, in 1948 it was 229, in 1949 it was 527, and by 20 November 1950 it was 1,007 (1945 equals 100). By the end of 1950 the index is expected to be 1,200. The total 1950 petroleum production of the enterprise in Dolnja Lendava is 300 percent greater than in 1949.

The index of the 1949 gasoline production was 191, while this year's index is expected to be over 800 (1948 equals 100).

PROSPECTING OF COAL DEPOSITS CONTINUES -- Ljubljana, Slovenski Porocevalec, 28 Nov 50

Experts from the Croatian Geological Institute have estimated the brown coal deposits in Koljani near Sinj to be the largest in Croatia. These deposits are believed to amount to several million tons. Thus far, prospecting has been carried out for a distance of 2 kilometers and is continuing.

Brown coal deposits have also been discovered on Pag Island. Lignite deposits have been discovered near Kristanj in northern Dalmatia.

The brown coal mine in Dubrava near Skradin, which was destroyed during the war, is again in operation and will operate at full capacity soon. It will supply coal to the new lime factory in Skradin, which will be completed shortly.

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